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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of REICHARD, et al.

Application No.: 09/697,465

Examiner: Kuhns, Allan R.

Date Filed: October 26, 2000

Group: 1732

For: COMPOSITE PANEL ADAPTED FOR POINT COMPRESSIVE LOADS AND
METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 13, 2002, please amend the
above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

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21. (Amended) A method of forming high strength panels suitable for use in
applications requiring a capability to withstand point compression loading without
deformation, comprising the steps of:

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8(a)

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